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Re: MULTI ELEMENT, MULTI COLOR SOLID STATE LED/LASER
Docket No. P0149US2-7

Divisional of Application of Serial No.: 09/528,262
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Art Unit: 2815
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 120, 35 U.S.C.121 and 37 CFR 1.53 is a divisional patent application.

Enclosed are:

A true copy of the prior complete application as filed, including:

21 pages of written description, claims and abstract
4 sheets of drawings
Copy of the Assignment to NITRES, INC.
Copy of the Change of Name to CREE LIGHTING COMPANY
Copy of the Merger to CREE, INC.
Copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney
Preliminary Amendment.

The inventorship for all the claims in this application are the same. Applicant claims large entity status.

This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above, and the inventors in this application are the same as in the prior application.

A notification of the filing of this divisional is being filed in the parent application, from which this application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120.

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